

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Examiner: Anthony D. STASHICK

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For: A VERTICAL BAG FORM-FILL-SEAL

PACKAGING MACHINE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 2-month extension of time to extend the time for response to the December 2, 2004 Office Action up to May 2, 2005. A check in the amount of \$450.00 for the extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 which may become due in connection with this application to Deposit Account No.: 50-1836.

Respectfully submitted,

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